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# Class Title: Judicial Executive Assistant

### **BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE CLASSIFICATION:**

Functions as the primary nonprofessional assistant to the Chief Judge of the Norfolk Circuit Court including planning, directing and supervising overall work operations of the judge's secretaries and the court docket administrator. Maintains the schedules and personnel/financial records of the secretaries, docket administrator, and the law clerks to the judges

## **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

This information is intended to be descriptive of the key responsibilities of the classification. The following examples do not identify all duties performed by any single incumbent. Specific requirements of individual positions are described in the Job Description.

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	Code	ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS
1	S	Prepares the circuit court judges budget for submission to the City of Norfolk.
2	S	Evaluates the need for additional computer hardware and software resources and determines the method for obtaining same.
3	S	Plans, selects and devises office work methods, procedures and work flow necessary to ensure timely performance of duties by subordinates.
4	S	Serves as liaison between the circuit court and other agencies of the city government and other public and private entities.
5	S	Coordinates with the clerk of court regarding matters of court scheduling and work of mutual concern. Performs research and composes report and summaries as assigned by the judges.
6	S	Maintains records regarding positions which are filled through appointment by the circuit court, insures that oaths of office are administered on a timely basis and that orders of appointment are prepared as required. Notifies the Chief Judge when a vacancy occurs of when a term of office expires. Services as liaison between the circuit court and the Supreme Court of Virginia.
7	S	Manages the work flow of all nonprofessional staff; issues instructions covering the work and activities of the subordinate staff; assigns work to and supervises performance of work by subordinates; and ensure that completed work meets required standards of quality

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### **CLASS REQUIREMENTS:**

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Formal Education / Knowledge	Work requires knowledge necessary to understand basic operations, technical, or office processes. Level of knowledge equivalent to four years of high school or equivalency.
Experience	Five years in law office menagement and management.
Certifications and Other Requirements	N/A
Reading	Work requires the ability to read financial documents, contracts, various reports, policies and procedures, and correspondence.
Math	Work requires the ability to perform general math calculations such as addition, subtraction, multiplication and division and statistics.
Writing	Work requires the ability to write policies and procedures, correspondence, and reports.
Managerial	Managerial responsibilities include delegating work, handling personnel conflicts, facilitating projects, and monitoring software upgrades.
Budget Responsibility	Oversees budget preparation of bureau budget and reviews and approves expenditures of significant budgeted funds for the bureau and may research and prepare recommendations for city-wide budget expenditures.
Supervisory / Organizational Control	Work requires supervising and monitoring performance for a regular group of employees in a work unit including providing input on hiring/disciplinary actions and work objectives/effectiveness, and realigning work as needed.
Complexity	Work is governed by broad instructions, objectives and policies. Work requires the exercise of considerable initiative and independent analytical and evaluative judgment.
Interpersonal / Human Relations Skills	Contacts others within the organization. These contacts may involve similar work units or departments within the City which may be involved in decision making or providing approval or decision making authority for purchases or projects. Works with individuals outside the City who may belong to professional or peer organizations. Working with various state and federal agencies may also be required. Vendors and suppliers may also be called upon for information on purchases, supplies or products. Meetings and discussions may be conducted with customers, brokers and sales representatives.

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### **OVERALL PHYSICAL STRENGTH DEMANDS:**

Sedentary X	Light	Medium	Heavy	Very Heavy
S = Sedentary	L = Light	M = Medium	H = Heavy	VH = Very Heavy
Exerting up to 10	Exerting up to 20	Exerting 20-50	Exerting 50-100	Exerting over 100
lbs. occasionally	lbs. occasionally,	lbs. occasionally,	lbs. occasionally,	lbs. occasionally,
or negligible	10 lbs. frequently,	10-25 lbs.	25-50 lbs.	50-100 lbs.
weights	or negligible	frequently, or up	frequently, or up	frequently, or up
frequently; sitting	amounts	to 10 lbs.	to 10-20 lbs.	to 20-50 lbs.
most of the time	constantly OR	constantly.	constantly.	constantly.
	requires walking			
	or standing to a			
	significant degree.			

### **PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

C = Continuously	F = Frequently	O = Occasionally	R = Rarely	N = Never
2/3 or more of the time.	From $1/3$ to $2/3$ of the time.	Up to 1/3 of the time.	Less than 1 hour per week.	Never occurs.

This is a description of the way the job is currently performed; it does not address the potential for accommodation.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS	FREQUENCY CODE	DESCRIPTION
Standing	О	Copier, fax machine, filing, meetings, presentations, talking to employees on location
Sitting	F	Computer, desk work, answering telephone, meetings
Walking	F	Inter-office, to/from building floors
Lifting	F	Computer, monitors, printers, boxes, office supplies, files, books, manuals
Carrying	F	Computer, monitors, printers, boxes, office supplies, files, books, manuals
Pushing/Pulling	0	Office furniture, office equipment
Reaching	R	Mailboxes, computer hubs
Handling	F	Computer, monitors, printers, boxes, office supplies, files, books, manuals, cable
Fine Dexterity	F	Computer keyboard, calculator, writing, hooking up computer, use of cable
Kneeling	0	Computer workstation assembly or configuration
Crouching	0	Computer workstation assembly or configuration
Crawling	0	Computer workstation assembly or configuration
Bending	0	Computer workstation assembly or configuration
Twisting	0	Computer workstation assembly or configuration
Climbing	R	Ladder
Balancing	R	On ladder
Vision	С	Computer, desk work, computer workstation assembly or configuration, reading, writing, filing, use of office equipment
Hearing	С	Telephone, co-workers, staff, supervisor, various city contacts including analysts, engineers, managers, secretaries, officers, clerks, Police, attorneys, finance, human resource, facility and enterprise management, meetings, presentations
Talking	С	Telephone, co-workers, staff, supervisor, various city contacts including analysts, engineers, managers, secretaries, officers, clerks, Police, attorneys, finance, human resource, facility and enterprise management, meetings, presentations
Foot Controls	N	
Other (specify)	N	

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#### MACHINES, TOOLS, EQUIPMENT, AND WORK AIDS:

Computer, laser or inkjet printer, copy machine, fax machine, telephone, calculator, general office supplies, screwdriver, hammer, docking station, scanner, video projector, laptop computer, Standard Microsoft Windows and Office software, DBRS, CMS (FoxPro), CJIS/Pistol2000, Zip Code Directory, Advantage Financial System software (AFIN), Citrix, Michie's Casefinder, PeopleSoft, Norfolk Code, Rightfax, TPX, SMS, WinZip, VEC, MVSP, SCB, Supt.Ct., Control V, Internet/Intranet

#### **ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS:**

D = Daily	W = Several	M = Several	S = Seasonally	N = Never	
	Times Per Week	Times Per Month			

HEALTH AND SAFETY		ENVIRONMENTAL FACTOR	S
Mechanical Hazards	N	Dirt and Dust	D
Chemical Hazards	N	Extreme Temperatures	N
Electrical Hazards	N	Noise and Vibration	N
Fire Hazards	N	Fumes and Odors	N
Explosives	N	Wetness/Humidity	N
Communicable Diseases	N	Darkness or Poor Lighting	N
Physical Danger or Abuse	N		
Other (see 1 below)	N		

PRIMARY WORK LOCATION		
Office Environment	X	
Warehouse		
Shop		
Vehicle		
Outdoors		
Other (see 2 below)		

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#### **PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED:**

None

#### **NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

C = Continuously	F = Frequently	O = Occasionally	R = Rarely	N = Never
2/3 or more of the time.	From $1/3$ to $2/3$ of the time.	Up to 1/3 of the time.	Less than 1 hour per week.	Never occurs.

NON-PHYSICAL DEMANDS	
Time Pressures	F
Emergency Situations	О
Frequent Change of Tasks	F
Irregular Work Schedule/Overtime	О
Performing Multiple Tasks Simultaneously	F
Working Closely with Others as Part of a Team	F
Tedious or Exacting Work	F
Noisy/Distracting Environment	R
Other (see 3 below)	N

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